

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

501.34189R00

Applicants: NAKAMURA et al.

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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING AN IMPROVED CONNECTION ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN A SEMICONDUCTOR PELLET AND BASE SUBSTRATE ELECTRODES AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF

Group: 2826

Examiner: A. Williams

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

November 23, 2001

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the four months subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed May 23, 2001. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the amount of \$1,440.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 501.34189R00).

Respectfully submitted,

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